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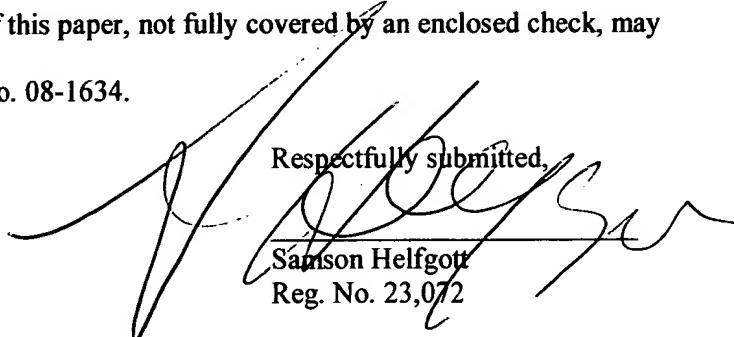
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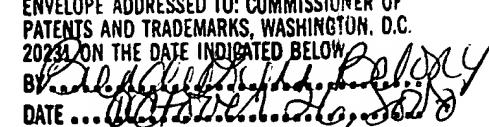
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MEMORANDUM TO: All USPTO Employees

FROM: Office of Space Acquisition

SUBJECT: Invitation to USPTO Furniture Testing Center Reopening  
All new Manufacturers

We are pleased to announce the reopening of the Furniture Testing Center (ftc) scheduled for Monday, December 11 through Friday, January 19, 2001 (Closed during the holiday week December 26-29). The ftc, located in Crystal Park 5 Suite 804 will operate from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM and will showcase seven new furniture manufacturers.

Whether you attended the first evaluation in October or not, you will not want to miss the final demonstration of furniture for the new facility. The purpose of the ftc is to provide exhibits that meet the requirements as defined by USPTO's three furniture Union Partnership Agreements. The results from the survey will be used in conjunction with the union partnership agreements to develop a Request for Proposal for new office furniture for the future consolidated campus.

To ensure that all USPTO employees have the opportunity to visit the ftc, one hour of non-production time has been granted to all employees who visit the ftc and fill out a survey during the December/January evaluation period. Activity codes for time keeping are listed below.

Trademark employees (non-production time code 330000)  
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Supervisors should work cooperatively with employees to manage office coverage while allowing each employee the opportunity to participate. Any employee requiring reasonable accommodations or assistance getting to and from the ftc should contact Terri Davis at 308-6781.

It is important that all PTO employees take part in this evaluation. Your feedback is important because it will assist us in assuring that the best furniture and furniture configurations are chosen for PTO's new facility. For more information on the ftc and the partnership furniture agreements, please see our web-site at <http://ptoweb/ftc>.



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